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SQUAW ISLAND FISHING CLUB, NEWS

Nov. 16, is the date for the East Bay Anglers Codfish Tournament—"The Chiller". It is $25 per boat and $5 per angler. Boats may leave from any South Shore inlet. The boats fishing for the club will be: The Sea Putt II, Boby G, Joe-Lyn IV, and The Tony D. See boat captain if you would like to fish.

Babylon Tuna Club's Great South Bay Tourn., held on Sunday Spt. 8, was a good day for Squaw Island. The club took 2nd, 3rd, and 4th places. Team #4 — 2nd place was The Phantom, Whistler, and Tiger II. Team #1 — 3rd place was The Barbill. Joe Kool, & Pirate II. Team #2 — 4th place was The Sunrise, Commanche, and My Fair Lady. Club members also did well in individual standings. Ed Baine on the Sunrise had a 9 lb. 2 oz. Fluke. Outstanding catch award went to Pete Schmidt from South Shore Marlin Club. He has 33 weakfish from 4½ lbs. to 11½ lbs. for a total weight of 192 lbs.

BOB POND SHOW AT THE EMPIRE STRIPER ASSOCIATION

The Empire Striper Association presents the Bob Pond Striped Bass Show on Wednesday, November 13, 1974, 8:00 p.m. at the American Legion Hall - 301 Beach 92 street, Rockaway Beach. Bob Pond is well known as originator of the Atom plug line and for his work with Stripers Unlimited, an organization dedicated to the study of striped bass. The show will include several movies and demonstration of plugging, etc. All proceeds go to Stripers Unlimited. Donation $1.50. Call Norman Landsberg (212) 586-7422 days for further info.

News Releases

UN SEA CONFERENCE

John Norton Moore, deputy chief of the U.S. delegation to the United nations Sea Conference in Caracas, Venezuela, says that the United States will not agree to any treaty on the oceans and their use unless the treaty would give coastal nations control over fish such as salmon that migrate from their waters to the open sea.

The demand by the U.S. stems from the fishing done by some nations such as Japan which maintain distant fishing fleets off the coast of the United States, Russia and Canada. The fleets harvest fish that are bred in the streams of coastal nations and then migrate to the ocean. Because of the depleted number of fish returning to spawn, fewer numbers of freshly hatched fish reach the ocean, raising the possibility of extinction.

Moore said that his point was one of five that the U.S. is pushing at the conference. The other key demands are unobstructed transit through international straits within the proposed 12 mile limit, High Seas freedom within the 188 mile economic zone of countries, such as the right for international ships to pass unhindered, no fishing restraints and scientific exploration of the area, also the establishment of international and regional organizations for management of highly migratory species of fish.

The conference was attended by 148 nations and sponsored by the U.N. The conference began in June and ended recently on August 31. No agreement in the form of a treaty was reached but negotiations are continuing and a new conference is scheduled for late summer, 1975. Reprinted from NYS Environment, Vol. 4 No. 4.

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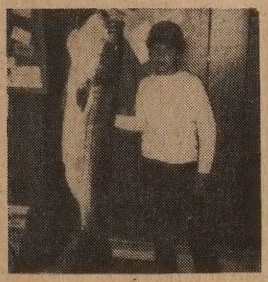

ABOUT THE COVER: 11-year-old Tom Ray of Lindenhurst poses with his first bass from the surf—a 55 lb. 8 oz. lunker. The fish took a live eel fished at the Cedar Beach Overlook. Photo courtesy of Duke's Tackle Shop.

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concrete culvert pipe were added to the reef which has become a haven for many species of sportfish. Plans call for doubling the extent of the existing reef which has proven extremely productive and popular among Great South Bay sportsmen. The reef is buoyed by the Environmental Conservation Department and is marked on Coast and Geodetic Nautical Chart 120—S.C.

The artificial fishing reef project is part of the department's continuing program to improve the habitat for many species of marine fish and thus increase the numbers of fish available to anglers. Recent diving surveys conducted by department biologists revealed large numbers of small to medium blackfish, as well as a few potential tackle-busters already inhabiting recently dumped materials. The newly created reef area is to the west of the existing reef site and shouls reduce the overcrowding that has occured during past blackfish runs. Peak fishing on the reef occurs in late October, with blackfish for the bottom angler. Large striped bass are also taken in the area.

For further information on the reef program, anglers are advised to send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Coastal Management Unit, Builing 40, S.U.N.Y., Stony Brook, New York 11794 For Further Information, Call: Lawrence A. Kelly (516) 751-7900

Chum Lines

DON'T ENCOURAGE THEFT

Various appeals are made in the LIF for worthy causes related to sport fishing. This is as it should be. But it is time we did something about another problem plaguing us; namely, the stealing of boats, motors and equipment. True, we can't stop all costly thefts, but there are several ways we can reduce the number.

The first way that comes to mind is to etch all equipment with your name or the words, "Stolen from....". The second way is not to buy equipment which is obviously stolen, despite its exceptionally fine price. The purchase of stolen merchandise only encourages more thefts.

This weekend I was in the Marina where my boat had been recovered after it had been stolen and the 40 h.p. motor removed, talking to the Marina operator when in walked a fisherman, all smiles, eager to show off his wonderful buy, a trolling rod and reel complete with wire worth at least $70, which he had just bought from a stranger for $7.50. I tried to explain that buying stolen merchandise only encourages the thief to steal more. I was also sure that the fisherman who had been "ripped-off" was not smiling because insurance will not compensate for the replacement of his rod and reel, etc.

Rather than buy stolen items we would be far wiser calling police because next week or next year, it may be your motor, rod and reel, or boat that becomes someone else's bargain.
Joel Beller, Long Beach

ECTOPARASITES ON THE GILLS OF FISH

We have received many letters this summer from fisherman who have observed oval-shaped, grey parasites on the gills of many species of fish, but especially prevalent on snappers, fluke and bluefish.

Since we haven't seen the parasites in question it is difficult to be authoritative; besides, very little seems to be known about this group of animals.

However, with the help of Clarence Hickey and Dr. Robert Valenti, both of th New York Ocean Science Laboratory at Montauk, and what little scientific literature is available, we can offer a general discussion of the questions raised by your letters and attempt to explain who and what these creatures are.

These ectoparasites belong to the largest group of animals on earth—the arthropods. Arthropods include crabs, lobsters, shrimp and insects, as well as many other less familiar groups. The gill parasite is question belong to the group known as isopods, which includes the grey oval sow bugs known as very common right in your garden.

There are actually several species that have been found on fish in this area. Several belong to the genus Olencira and a few species belong to the genus Lironica. It takes an expert in isopod taxonomy [groupings] to identify the species, so we don't bother with detailed descriptions of each.

Furthermore, the scientific community seems to disagree about the exact effects of the ectoparasites on their fish hosts. Some scientists believe that the animals attach to the gillcover or the bony part of the gill in order to feed more or less harmlessly on debris that passes through the gills when the fish feed. Other investigators have published evidence that the organisms erode or "eat away" the gill tissue. It may be difficul to understand why science has not been able to resolve what appears to be a simple problem. However, we have been unable to

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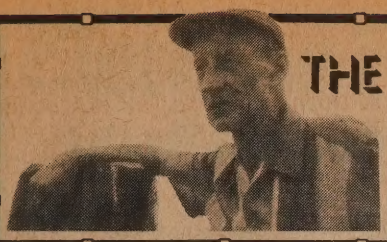

THE BOTTOM LINE

with Matt Ahern

Skiff Fishing for Fall Flounders

There's no doubt flounders are easy marks for the baited hook. Whether fished for from shore or boat, flatties seem always obliging. There are many arguments, pro and con, but many fishermen feel that to produce fish in quantity, there is no better way than to use the advantages of a boat.

There's more to this fishing, however, than jumping into a skiff and heading for the nearest bit of fishy-looking water. It may appear otherwise to the beginner who sees fishermen returning with full buckets of fat flounders. The novice often feels all that's necessary is to rent a skiff, load it with tackle, bait, lunch, whip up the outboard and take off. From then on, the fish automatically follow with the same ease.

It doesn't take long to discover there's more to catching flounders than meets the eye. By the same token, however, there's nothing difficult about it when the fisherman learns to do the several things necessary to put fish into his bucket.

First, and most important, remember flounders must be hunted. They don't dash madly about hunting for food, as do weaks and blues, but fan out slowly over choice feeding areas, leisurely feeding as they go along. They may be doing this all around your skiff, but if your selected spot doesn't offer the right conditions, you'll bring home few flounders. Sometimes a move of twenty-five feet often makes the difference.

How do you go about finding the whereabouts of these feeding fish? Simple. You can anchor where others can be seen catching fish, which isn't very sporting and is apt to cause dissension should you fish too close. Better to select a likely-looking spot in twelve to fifteen feet of water and lower the anchor.

Fish this spot for at least twenty minutes and if several flounders are caught, break out the chum pot, or toss over a dozen or more broken mussels and give the fish time to zero in on this windfall.

If there's no further action after a reasonable time, lift the anchor and either move to another spot or drift until fish are found. Don't become discouraged, it may take several moves to locate fish.

You may be lucky and anchor over fish on the first drop-over; this happens to all of us, but as a rule, it's better to move about if fish don't respond in short order.

You would do well to remember that flounders like a moderate amount of water overhead, so it's important to note the rise and fall of the tide. Should it be falling, and the fish show signs of slowing down, be prepared to make a move to deeper water. Reverse this for the rising tide. This always pays off.

Nothing puts flounders in the bucket as does the use of chum. Crush a supply of mussels or clams, and place in a weighted chum pot. Lower to the bottom directly under the boat and fish as close to it as possible. With slowly moving currents, chum can be tossed in the direction of the anchor, gauging it so that most comes to rest as close under the boat as possible. Give the fish time to find and move into it.

Never be in a hurry to leave any area in which time has been spent chumming. I recall one fall day fishing the flats bordering Reynold's Channel in Island Park. The fishing was unusually slow and I remember trying every trick in the book—and probably some that weren't. But nothing seemed to work, so I decided to pack it in.

Dumping the last of the chum overboard and muttering to myself as to the vagaries of fish and fishing in general, my little spinning rod suddenly came alive in my hands. In an hour I had two dozen fine flounders, and they were still biting when I left.

Flounders are sporty little fish and they'll give you one peppy battle after another. You'll find a light spinning rod and matching reel filled with six or eight pound test monofilament gives the most enjoyment. This tackle is extremely sensitive to the lightest biting flounder.

With such an outfit, you can get by with light bank sinkers. These should

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Surf Side

with Doc Muller

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The fish are on the move. They are chasing bait right up against the beaches. The fish are big, and every surfnut is pulling them in faster than he can clean and freeze them. Right?

Wrong! With the fall migration well under way, it seems clear that the patterns of striped bass movement and feeding will not favor the surf fisherman. There are already indications that the fish will be harder to pin down this year.

First, the track record as of this writing is bad. With few exceptions, the fish have been on the beach for only a tide or perhaps a day. Unless you're there when it happens, you don't cash in. If you've had my luck this year you've heard a lot of news about yesterday, but very few birds or fish. In short, I was on the north shore when the fish were tearing it up on the south shore, and vice-versa.

Second—again with only a few exceptions—the fish have been small. I heard of fifty bass here and a few dozen blues there; however, when I questioned people about the size of fish they invariably turned out to be a couple of pounds. It's very upsetting, especially whe you learn that many of your friends, including some darn good surfmen, have had the same trouble.

What's a guy going to do? This author had planned an article about now in description of a great blitz, somewhere! You can't write about what you haven't been part of!

I decided that there must be some very good reasons for the lack of synchrony between the habits of the fish and my fishing trips. In addition, I'm becoming convinced that it is going to be a lousy small fish year in the surf, and I thought you would like to hear about some of my miseries and perhaps send me some of yours so that I won't feel so lonely!

Seriously, some of my experiences have been ridiculous. Take the night I got home from Montauk after I missed a two day surf blitz by one day (small fish). I received a call from one of my most reliable surf buddies. When he speaks, I listen, because he fishes hard! He told me that he was into big bass at one of our best and most consistent spots, which up to then had been lousy. he said, "I'd suggest that if you don't come out tonight, you'll miss it."

Okay. I wolfed down a meal. bundled up, and was off. Just as dusk descended I made a cast into the rip and hit a small bass. Terrific! I don't care about small bass, but I am interested, since little fish in the rip before dark usually means big fish after dark. We fished till nearly eleven and caught three fish, biggest about five pounds. Once again I zigged when I should have zagged.

Example number two: I was so desperate a few weeks back that I began to fish areas that I'm familiar with, but whose productivity can't compare to my usual haunts. Bingo, as I walked on the beach an old regular was walking off with three big blues to fourteen pounds, plus. "You just missed it!" Undaunted, I plugged away for four hours and raised one fish.

But I was back the next night and conditions were perfect. Just before sunset we got into big blues. I landed one and dropped a half dozen others. Out came the file and an eagle eye was put to the action of the plugs. The action died for about two hours, but we continued fishing through the tide change.

Suddenly the blues were everywhere. Every cast a hit, and every other cast a fish. Fish chomped through the line above the wire leader, hooks pulled from lightly-hooked lips, I just kept dropping fish after fish. I would have become filled with self-doubt, except the guy next to me was having the same problems. For an hour we had the kind of bluefish action that dreams are made of. Yet, only one fish was beached!

I went to the east-end beaches and the bass hit at Centre Island. I heard about Parking Field Nine blitz too late, and it's almost all over and I'm still zigging when I should zag, and zagging when I should zig.

The zig-zag description comes from a fellow club member who has been experiencing many of the same frustrations, but much less severe. Anyway, I couldn't think of my own phrase so I've stolen it. And besides, it looks like I'll be doing a lot of thinking this winter.

Great view, but except for intermittent action—when is the fall run of biggies?

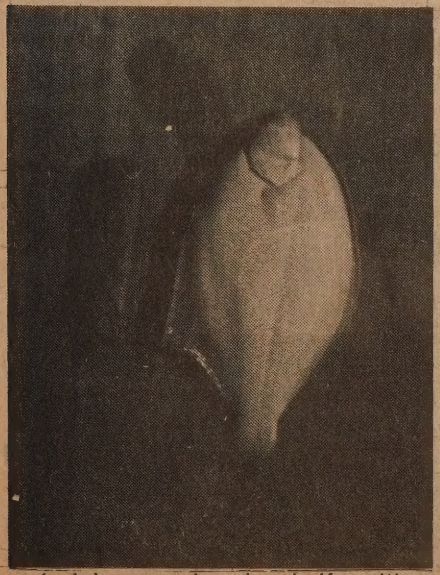
Cleaning Flounder-Captree Style

by Bruce Sucher

I went flounder fishing at Captree about ten years ago, but I don't remember which boat I was on or what the bait was. What I do remember was a full bushel basket that my father and I had filled with flounders. Since I was to be a marine biologist I was given the task of cleaning all fish that either my father, myself, or both of us together would catch. When the numbers were reasonable I was genuinely interested, examining each fish's respective organs, finding what they had for their last meal, if there were any parasites or interesting malformations.

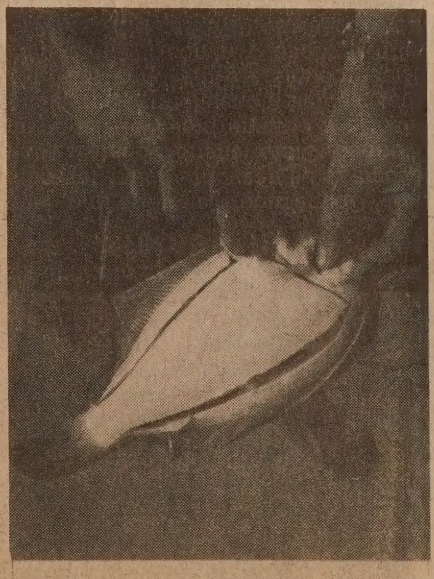
When a large number of fish loomed heavy in the near future I dreaded it. I calculated the scaling, cutting off the fins with shears and beheading at around two hours at least. My father, seeing my somewhst forlorn visage, agreed to have the mate clean the fish, if I were willing to foot a third of the cost. I said O.K.

What I learned has saved me a lot of time since, namely — how to clean flounders at the rate of about thirty seconds each. As you can see by the last photo of the series, all you loose is a layer of skin and a small amount of meat that would adhere to the fin bones. If you miss the skin and fin bones, this article is not for you. If you enjoy eating flounder with a minimum of bones, and don't particularly like cleaning them, then follow me:



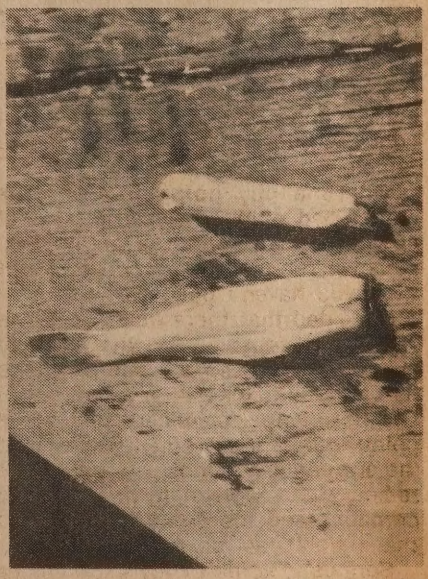
1. I have replaced a knife with a sheet rock knife. These are well-suited for this type of cleaning because the shorter the blade the easier it is to control. The blades are razor sharp and, when they become dull, are replaced at a modest cost. If you don't have a sheet rock knife or don't wish to get one, a sharp knife of any design will do.

2. Starting near the head, push the point of the blade to the inside of the flounder's dark side. Slide the blade down toward the tail, following the inside of the line of fin bones. Repeat the same on the stomach side.



3. Make a cut connecting your first two incisions just behind the gill plate. Be careful to cut through the back bone without cutting the dark skin. In other words, be careful how much pressure you apply to the knife.

4. Grasp the head in your left hand and the thickest part of the flesh, right next to your last cut, with your right hand. Now pull. It's like taking off a pair of rubber gloves.



5. The finished product ready for pan frying, broiling or baking.

This style of cleaning is particularly suited for cleaning fish that weigh between one-half pound and just over a pound. Larger fish are best filleted following Doctor Schwartz' instruction of LIF issue #16, 5/2/74. However, fish to two pounds can be cleaned as per my method. Good eating.

Night Surf Fishing and the Moon

by Vlad Evanoff

Before the weather gets too cold, surf anglers can look forward to some good fishing. And the great thing about late fall fishing is that you can catch fish anytime, day or night, though you'll do best to concentrate on the hours of darkness, especially if you want big striped bass.

Of course, there are some handicaps to overcome when fishing at night, but I feel there are more advantages. First, you'll run into fewer surf anglers, even at so-called "hot spots". In the daytime you usually need a good surf or some white water to catch stripers, but at night you can often make them hit even if the water is calm and clear.

In the late fall the migrating fish tend to feed in bigger schools and at various hours of the night. They seem to sense that winter is coming and they have to fatten up for the dormant period when they will not be feeding.

One of the handicaps in surf night fishing is that things are a bit more difficult when it comes to locating fish, seeing the best fishing spots, casting, working lures, fighting and landing fish. But these can be overcome if the surf angler does a lot of night fishing and learns to operate by a sense of "feel," rather than depending, on sight alone.

It helps if you know the area you are fishing intimately and can pinpoint the best locations: where the sloughs or troughs and sand bars are, or the rocks, boulders, coves and holes along a rocky shore. To get this know-how you'll have to fish the same spot during the daytime a few times. In strange areas, it pays to study the beaches, jetties or shore during the daytime before you go out at night.

You can use the same tackle, lures and baits when fishing at night as during the daytime, except that metal lure such as squids and heavy spoons are not as good as plugs, rigged eels and plastic eels. Choose the lures which can be worked slowly and still have good action. You'll find that almost all lures must be reeled in more slowly at night than during the daytime. You have to give the fish a chance to see your lure and catch up to it. This is especially true if you want to hook big cow stripers, which are lazier and slower than the smaller fish.

When the water is rough and white, you can often have good daytime fishing—especially for smaller school bass.

One way to make night surf fishing a bit easier and safer is to fish on nights when the moon is shining. But that isn't the main reason why a full moon makes for better fishing. Many surf anglers study the phases of the moon since they are certain that they affect fish. It has been my experience that the moon does affect surf fishing considerably. Year in and year out, records show that some of the best surf fishing takes place around the new moon and the full moon. I always try to plan surf fishing trips to being three or four days before a new moon or the full moon and to continue until two or three days after.

We can only guess just how the moon affects surf fishing, but some conclusions can be reached by logic. The moon, of course, has a strong influence on the tides, and when this influence combines with the gravitational pull of the sun we get the so-called "spring" tides, which occur around new and full moon phases. At these times the tides are highest, currents are strongest.

So during the new moon and full moon such predatory gamefish as striped bass, bluefish, weakfish, channel bass and others come into the surf to feed. The greater water activity tosses around the baitfish and uncovers crabs, clams, worms and other foods.

When the moon is full it makes night fishing easier, often better. The light makes it easier for the gamefish to see the bait and lures and find the baitfish. This is especially true during the fall when such baitfish as mullet, menhaden and herring are migrating along the coast. They often move on moonlit nights and gamefish come in to chase them.

I personally don't care too much for a really bright moon shining on the water at night, especially when it is directly overhead or high in the sky. f it is near the horizon or behind clouds or setting, the fishing is better. On dark nights when there is a lot of phosphorescence in the water to light up your line and lure, fish tend to be scared away. Fishing on moonlit nights, when this "fire in the water" is less visible, is usually better.

You can also have good fishing on dark nights without a moon. Although baitfish tend to be less active at such times, gamefish still come inshore to

feed. Most baitfish in salt water tend to move inshore into shallow water; gamefish follow them. Fish can find a bait or lure even on the darkest nights, and many fine catches are made then. The peak periods are from an hour before daybreak until the sun gets high, and again about an hour before sundown and until around midnight.

The amount of light during the daytime also seems to play a part in the activity of feeding of the fish. Striped bass and other gamefish tend to avoid bright light by going into deeper water during the middle of the day. At these times boat anglers trolling deep near the bottom often catch them, but surf anglers usually have to wait till sundown, night and daybreak for the fish to move into shallow water close to shore.

Of course, when the surf is rough and white and there is bait in the wash, they tend to come in closer more often and stay there longer—even in the daytime. And surf fishing tends to be better on cloudy, rainy or stormy days than on bright, sunny ones.

COW COUNTRY

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happy, we decided to call it a night. Everyone knows what a pleasant and short ride home it is with a full fish box.

If you aren't familiar with the area, I suggest you first trip be made only in the daylight; navigating after dark is very treacherous.

At the dock the final tally was seventeen fish, which weighed from twenty-eight pounds up, with the two bigger fish over forty. For the crew of the "Black Duck," it had been a bonanza.

SKIFF FALL FLOUNDER

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be the lightest possible for the area you intend fishing. Two ounces will probably be found to be right, perhaps only an ounce will do. That's fine, just so it's heavy enough to hold bottom.

Two number nine or ten Chestertown hooks tied tandem-style will get you fish. So will size six in either Sproat or Carlisle patterns. The choice is yours.

When tandem-tied and placed two inches above the sinker, with or without the aid of a three-way swivel, your hooks will always be on bottom. Flounders are strictly bottom feeders; they won't rise off the bottom no matter how tempting your bait.

Fishermen often find flounders fussy in their choice of bait. Some days sand and/or bloodworms will be all that's needed; on others, clam does better. The wise skiff fisherman takes a supply of each.

Clam, and these can be either skimmer or hard or soft clam, should be cut into narrow inch-and-a-half slices. Any flounder large enough to keep will have no trouble getting a bait this size into its small mouth. Allow the barb to protrude about a quarter inch from the end. This not only gives the bait a more natural look, making it easier to swallow, but assures certain hooking. Worms should be fished the same way.

Don't hesitate to join the skiff fishing fleet. You're certain to have fun, plus lots of flounders. And when you return, you're sure to wonder why you waited so long to get started.

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Cow Country

by Al Daniels

It is the night prior to the October full moon and the wake of the boat drifts lazily toward the disappearing land. A mere speck off our stern is Cedar Point Lighthouse, which marks the entrance to Northwest Harbor. From here it is a fifteen minute run to that quaint, picturesque village of Sag Harbor, our port of departure.

On our present course, after about thirty minutes running time you will find the Ruins passing on the port side. This is located off the northern tip of Gardiner's Island. Twenty minutes due north from the Ruins and we have reached our destination, "Old Silas Rock". To set the record straight, this fourteen mile plus trip is not a small boat safari unless you listen to the weather forecast. There is a lot of nasty open water between here and home.

Old Silas Rock gives one a lonesome feeling as it stands in solitude against the sea. It is located between Plum Island and Big Gull Island. Old Silas doesn't draw those floating cities like Plum Gut and the Race; it gets a little bit of the cold shoulder until this time of year.

The bass seem to concentrate here. It is a beautiful location as the bait is funneled out of Long Island Sound. To get the true meaning of Old Silas, a graph type depth recorder is needed. There is a ledge which extends from the rock itself to Big Gull Island. Here the fish can lay on the down-tide side and take their pick of the menu. Bass at this time of the year seem to feed more often, to put on weight for the migration south.

Old Silas also harbors an abundance of bluefish and school bass. For anyone that fishes the east end of the Island or around the New London area on the Connecticut shores, it deserves some fishing hours.

At seven p.m. it was coming to the end of the flood tide. We started fishing with large tubes. Here, as in many other places, it is a necessity to use wire line. This enables you to put your lure down where those big bass have set up housekeeping. For the first two hours it seemed that all we managed to catch were coffee and sandwiches. It was one of those nights when one gets a feeling of equanimity as he looks into the sky.

Looking around us we found we were in the company of about fourteen boats. At least that many had their running lights on as darkness fell. A large number of these boats were from the Connecticut shore: this area seems to be a favorite haunt for many Nutmeg State charter boats. There also is a strange breed of fishermen that scores consistently out there. These people are the ones that drift with those almost irresistible hors'd'oeuvres (live eels).

The tide had been ebbing for two hours and a good rip was building. Now I got that special feeling; you know, when a big bass is trying to make that final decision to take tour lure. Well, it all seemed to happen at once. First one side and then both rods were tied to heavy fish.

I think one of the great thrills of trolling is to heat that sound of line disappearing from the reel. After about twenty minutes we had boated two fish in the thirty pound class. It took only a short time to get back to our position on the rip. Both boats on our immediate sides were hooked up. Immediately I got that feeling it is going to be a bonanza night. But for us this was a pass without a strike.

As we were about half way through our third trip over the rip, the recorder showed fish stacked up behind the ledge. No sooner had this happened when the rod on the port side arched over.

After that first sizzling run you can almost tell the size of the fish. With fish of this size, you never want to count them in the fish box until you actually see them there.

Upon gaffing this fish, we found it to be almost identical to the two we already had. As the tide increased it seemed to put the fish into a feeding frenzy. Everyone was scoring with great regularity.

We found at this time that one tube started to out-produce the other; we had been using one black and one red, and the fish indicated a decided preference for the red ones. As everyone already knows, no two lures work alike, whether production or homemade type. But it seemed as if the fish were hitting everything presented to them. It is on rare occasions that you see big bass hit with pure abandon.

So, by replacing the black tube with a red one, both rods started to produce. By eleven p.m. we had seven beautiful fish. Then my partner's rod bowed to a heavy fish. This fish seemed to be exceptionally strong. It was one of those fish that you must go back after, rather then bring it to the boat. Back at the dock, it weighed in at forty-four pounds.

As the night progressed, the moon rose higher, and so did the tempo of the fishing. There seemed to be only big fish on the rip and they were really cooperating. We continued to catch fish at a good rate until the tide was completely dead. Arm-weary and

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This is just one of the lunkers that has come from here.

How To Tease A Bass

by Ed Haring

There are times, especially in autumn, when striper fishing tries one's soul. You know there are fish well within casting range, but they ignore all offerings. Last season they had me climbing the walls until I made my annual pilgrimage to Narraganset. There were plenty of schoolies off the rocky ledges, but the only ones taking fish with any degree of consistancy were using a piece of broom handle or dowel rounded at both ends with one small bucktail attached to the end, as illustrated in Diagram A.

The lead is optional. It may add a yard or two to your cast.

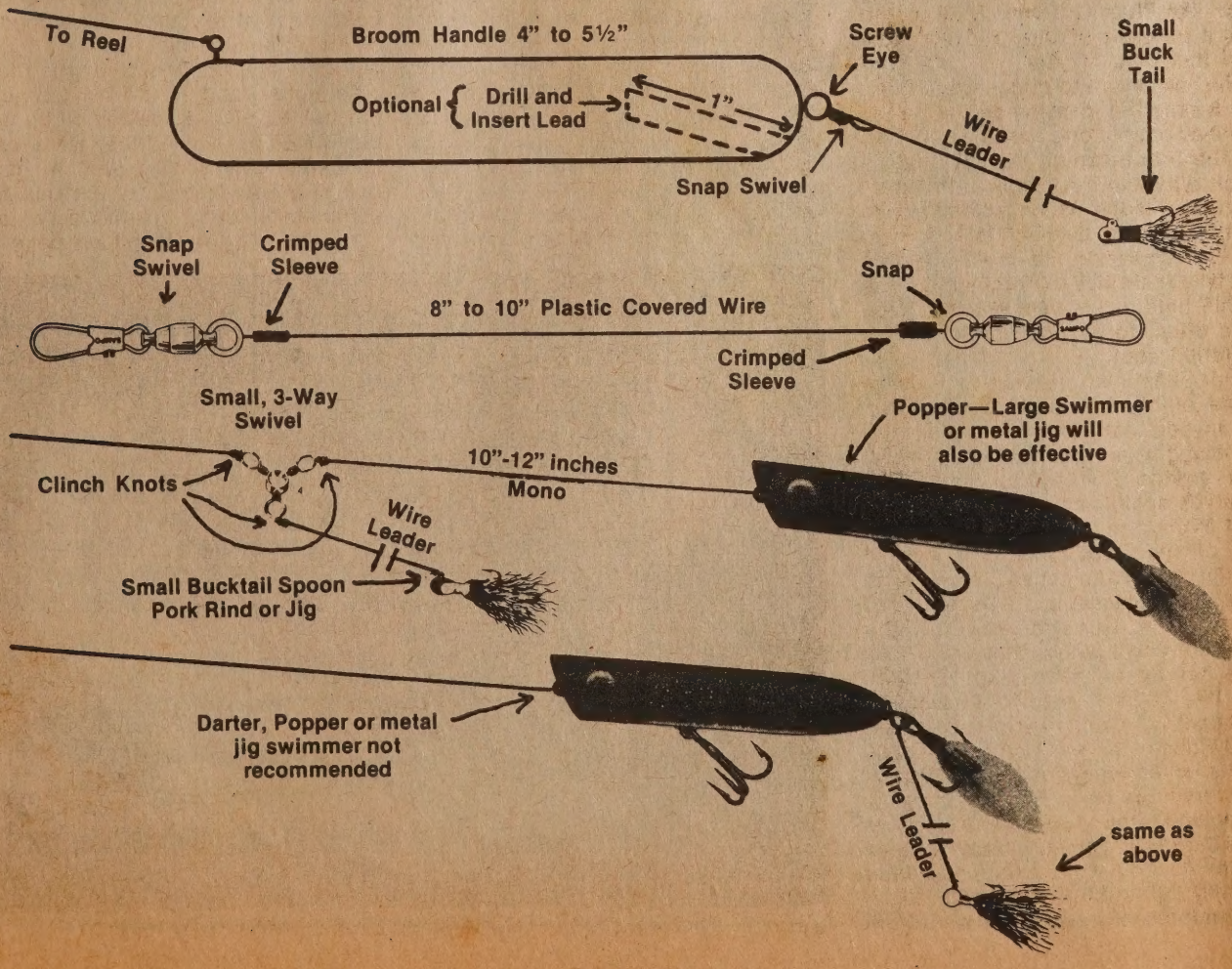
The rig is retrieved slowly. The motion of the waves bounces the float and gives a tentalizing action to the bucktail that bass often cannot resist. I seems to work best where the depth falls quickly. (Jetty jockeys take note.)

Teasers are nothing new. Many fishermen have been using them successfully here on Long Island for years. My efforts resulted in too many tangles, though and the project was junked. However those broom handle floats started me thinking. The result is illustrated in Diagram B.

You will probably have to make your own but fortunately no skill is required. All you need is a length of plastic-covered wire leader material, two small snaps, one preferably with a swivel, a couple of sleeves and a crimping tool. The snaps at each end permit you to make quick changes as well as changing to a different teaser. There are many variations of teasers you can come up with, but keep them small and light.

With this set up, foul-ups were reduced to near zero and my jinx was broken. No lunkers were taken, nor was the bass population greatly reduced, but then Riis Park has never been noted for either size or number. What is worthy of note is that every fish was taken on the teasers. Many say the set-up in (C) is most effective, but (D) produced for me by a ratio of 4 to 1.

If you decide to tease the bass, back-fish your lure in the normal manner. Be sure to leave enough clearance between the lure and teaser. Don't be too surprised if you find yourself fighing two fish at the same time.



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BY FRED GUARDINEER

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SOUTH SHORE Fishing Report

MONTAUK

The fall run of striped bass began at Montauk this week at hit with a blitz. Low catch reported for a half day was 40 bass, and full day trips number around the centennial mark. Porgies have thinned out somewhat but still remain excellent. Codfishing very good at Coxe's Ledge with signs of fish moving inshore. Big bluefish stacked up in both The Race and Plum Gut. Good flounder in the lake and off the jetties and improving steadily.

Capt. John Sweetman of the **Ebb Tide** said that there is only one word to describe the bass fishing, but couldn't think of what it is. South side, Pollack Rip, the Elbow—take your pick. Umbrella rigs produce consistently until the fishing slows down, then switch to a 3 oz. Smilen' Bill bucktail or a parachute rig with pork rind when the fish get picky. Larger fish in the rips, smaller schoolies on the South Side but enough 20 to 40 pounders to go around. When the wind is up from the north, fish the South Side. Birds are working on sand eels and mullet from the lighthouse to Hither Hills State Park, bass underneath all the way.

"Hordes of striped bass," reports Capt. Dick Vigilant of the **Triton II**. On Friday the score was 102 bass, most ranging in the 3 to 6 pound class plus blues. Dick said if you prefer bluefish to bass (?) and concenetrate on them the catch is unlimited. Sunday's score despite the sloppy weather was 90 stripers of mixed sizes. Trolling umbrella's on the South Side and sandy beaches produces scores of schoolies. On the last half of the tide fish the rips with bucktails for larger fish. Dick noted that the size of the tubes on an umbrella rig seems to be more important than the color. At times they prefer large tubes, other times the small variety. Troll two sizes to see which produces. Put out 300 feet of wire when the tide is slack, 350 when the tide is moving, but never more than 350. Try trolling cross tide along the rip rather than stemming or passing back and forth over it for best results. Dick said he still has a few dates open and the action should last thru November so give him a call—today. Blues have slowed at Cartwright due to an influx of dogfish, so the cod should be moving in shortly.

Forty bass a tide trolling at the Pollack Rip according to Capt. John Sekora of the **Easy Rider**. Wire line and large black tubes before daylight for big bass and switch to umbrella rigs when the sun comes up. At least three fish in the 35 to 40 pound range coming in each trip. Scores of schoolies on the south side, but larger fish are beginning to mix in. The fish are now feeding thru both tides so conditions are not critical.

Capt. Pete Novellino of the **Jennie Three** sailed out Montauk Saturday and trolled up a garbage can full of small bass. They wire lined with umbrella rigs at Great Eastern for the schoolies. The larger bass seem to prefer large tubes and jigged bucktails. Incoming water produced best, but fish hit at all stages.

The porgies have thinned out a little but remain excellent, reports Capt. Bud Dorman of the **Viking Skipper**. The porgies are mixed and getting larger with more seabass showing up each day. High hook Saturday was 105 porgies and seabass. On Sunday Bud fished Block Island area with Capt. Dick Rade's **Marlin III** with good results. Ebb tide is best at Turtle Cove and under the "guns" or radar dome. Drift with clams for best results. Largest porgy during the week was a 3 lb. 10 oz. platter-size humpback. Bud expects the bottom fishing to hold up until at least Election Day because there's still plenty of fish in the Sound that haven't started moving yet.

Capt. Brad Glas of the **Hel-Cat Fleet** was bubbling over with words like "red hot," "bonanza',, and "blitz" to describe the bluefishing taking place in The Race and Plum Gut. Monster blues 10 to 20 pounds hitting the special herring baits fished with drails like candy, much preferred over bunker. Blitz-time takes place at the end of both the ebb and flood tides. Running water is best if you're only fishing a couple of lines, slack if you have more than 10 baits in the water. The **Helen II** is available for group charters and the **Hel-Cat** is now sailing on a weekends only schedule.

Not to be forgotten is the very good codfishing action at Coxe's Ledge, reminds Capt. Betty Mullhern. The **Viking Star** fished the southwest end of the Ledge Sunday and the poolfish went 48 pounds. Pollack can be taken on diamond jigs for those who want to work at it. An occasional blue also hits a jig. Dogfish have started moving in so the Viking Star will be fishing a lot of the local wrecks in addition to the ledge until the cod move inshore. Last year they hit the point the day after Thanksgiving.

Pete Pawelski took these three bass of 25, 32 and 44 pounds on Capt. Charlie Nappi's Sea Witch II out of Montauk.

The pool's winner on the Viking Star's Nantucket Wreck Trip, October 6th: Left is Boby Benz, New Rochelle, N.Y. with a 61 lb. cod worth $590.00. zcenter is George Havenger, Jersey City, N.J. with a 53 lb. cod worth $220.00. Right is Vinnie Formisano, Yonkers, N.Y. with a 33 lb. pollack worth $130.00. We estimate there were over 7 tons of giant cod and pollack caught this trip. The last Nantucket trip for 1974 is October 29th at 9 p.m.

John Jr. at **Johnny's Tackle Shop** reports mostly school size striped bass were being caught on the southside until Monday morning. Schoolies and larger sizes to 30 lbs. were caught at Jones, North Bar and under the Light right through Saturday night. These bass are taking mostly popping plugs and swimmers. John Jr. said there are a lot of small sand eels in the water.

Capt. Les Behan of the **Peconic Queen** is running a working-mens special **Andrea Doria** trip for those unable to go during the work week. See ad on Montauk page for details.

PROMISED LAND

Art Brand at the **Promised Land Fishing Station** said the porgies are gone and with this continued colder weather the blues will go also. Flounder are still a little slow in coming but good weather should make a difference. Striped bass fishing seems to be your best bet trolling umbrella rigs in the early morning or evening off Eastern Plain Point or Tobaccolot Bay. There are

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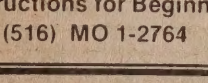

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SHINNECOCK

Mickey Altenkirch of **Alterkirch Tackle** said striped bass have been taken both along and off the beaches at Mecox Bay. Early morning casters of plugs or swimmers have been scoring well on school size fish and up. Tube trolling all day long at that area produced a couple of 30 and 35 lb. bass. Shiners and sand eels are fairly prevalent in Shinnecock Bay where the flounder fishing is slow. Good blackfishing can be had at either the Shinnecock Inlet or Canal jetties on moving water.

The **Capt. Clark** boats continue to reap a good harvest of blackfish at the wrecks in the Peconic Bays according to Mickey Altenkirch. Green crabs and fiddlers on moving water the best bet.

HAMPTON BAYS

Ernie at **Bradley's Fishing Station** reports that his skiffs through the week and over the weekend, have been getting very good flounder catches inside the cove and especially at Buoy 29, just a couple of buoys from the station. Bloodworms are best and Ernie advises chumming with rice, corn or crushed scallop shells, on incoming water. Fish are in the ¾—1 lb. class.

MORICHES BAY

Good flounder fishing over the weekend according to **Tadsen's Fishing Station**. Buoy 19, the Brown House and the Coast Guard Station are a few of the Great Gun Beach dock was one of the better producing areas. Take your choice of either tide as they both produce but bloodworms are best.

Romona Seifert at **Silly Lily Fishing Station** reports the difference in the flounder catch by chumming was 60 to 13. Mussel chumming is definitely more productive. Some small fish are being caught but the majority are ¾ lb. and up. Blood worm and clam combo on a two hook rig at incoming water seem to be better. Small shiners and some sand shrimp are around.

Bob Cole of **Moriches Bait & Tackle** says there is good flounder fishing throughout most of Forge River and if you ask him nice he has a good spot. Mussel chum is a must for the larger catches. Morning and evening striped bass activity along the beaches with metal lures and at the inlet using live eels. These bass are in the 15-20 lb. range going to 40 plus lbs. Sand eels and bunker are moving through the inlet and along the beaches. Good blackfishing at the inlet jetties on the out going tide. Use green or fiddler crabs.

MASTIC BEACH

"Crabs—all you wanted" said Ron at **Keenan's Fishing Station**. Any bait

in a trap would do the job at Buoy 20 & 21. This was the picture all week long, except for Sunday, when the low temperture and biting winds slowed it to a crawl. Should resume again with moderating tempertures. Flounder activity has been nil, but should be starting very shortly, perhaps by the timeyou read this report. Bloodworms will be the bait to use in this area, says Ron.

WEST SAYVILLE

Fair flounder fishing says Dick Yonda at the **American Sportsman Shop**. The flats off Fire Island and Heckscher Park are producing on incoming water. Worms and clams are the bait. Trolling parachute lures with porkrind on the outgoing tide along Fire Island inlet has caught 8—10 lb. striped bass with an unconfirmed report of a 51 lb. bass. Early evening or morning casting of Stan Gibbs swimmers from the beach has also brought in these same size schoolies. This action has been spotty in both places. Live eels when they can be had seem to be the best bet.

CAPTREE

The boats of the **Capt. Joseph Fleet** have been doing very good on blackfish. The artificial reef and all wrecks outside are producing nice blackfish and good sized seabass and porgies, all on skimmer clams. The **Capt. Joseph I** is fishing wrecks in the bay and having very good results on blacks, plenty of fish 3 to 4 pounds and one 7½ pounds. Tides are not a factor. All Capt. Joseph boats have fiddler crabs on board. Flounders still waking up.

Capt. George Roman of the **Captree Queen** described the flounder fishing as slow at the present. The water is still a little warm but cooling and results should be a steady uphill improvement. The flats are out-producing the channels. Bloodworms fished through all tidal stages produce a slow pick of fish.

Noel Kapauff of the **Captree Bait Station** reports fair flounder fishing at the Overlook and Fire Island piers on bloodworms. The blackfishing has been pretty good there through most of the day. Anglers have been using green and fiddler crabs with fiddlers preferred. Good striped bass fishing with live eels during the day as well as at night at Field 3 and Cedar Beach. At these same beaches Atom lures, swimmers or poppers, work well in the early morning.

BABYLON

Jean Principe of **Augie's Bait & Tackle** said plenty of good sized stripers for the weekend contest, fish in the 20's and 30's were weighed in. It seems the bass have changed their diet this week, they are now taking live bunker more than eels. Surfcasters are working the bar at Cedar and the rips around the Sore Thumb. The boatmen arre working the offshore bars. The direction of the tide doesn't seem to matter as long as its moving good. Al Lorenezetti and his son came in with 6 stripers up to 33 lbs. 6 or 7 good sized weaks and a few blues, all were taken just outside the inlet and all on bunker.

The blackfishing at the artificial reef is excellent with fiddler crabs baits, mostly near high tide. Richie Hanes caught 70 blacks 6 to 7 lbs.

Flounder fishing is good and they are of decent size. Some of the better spots are Fox Creek, the waters off Good Sam and off West Island. Worm baits are out catching the clams and mussle chum helps.

"Good flounder fishing" reports **Charlie's Fishing Station**. Plenty of flatties just off Bergen Point in the East/West Channel. Bloodworms are the attractor and no chumming is necessary. The fish are about ¾ lb., averaging 15 per boat, on moving water.

LINDENHURST

Jack of **Charlie's Bait & Tackle** reports there are plenty of striped bass, flounder and blackfish out there. The striped bass are being taken off the beaches from Gilgo to the Thumb. Some of the hotter spots are the east end of Gilgo, the Pines and the bar at Cedar. Eels are working best for the shore casters but bunker are also accounting for a good number of fish. The boatmen are fishing offshore Gilgo, the outside bars off Cedar and the bars at the inlet. Bunker is working best for the boatmen. (Problem is to find the bunker.) Inside the bass are being taken at the Robert Moses Bridge and just off the Coast Guard Station. It doesn't matter which tide as long as its moving. The size range is from schoolies to 30 and 40 pounders. Blackfish are in solid at the artificial reef off Kismet. The blacks seem to prefer fiddler crabs. A good number of them are 6 to 8 lbs.

Flounder fishing is excellent, according to Jack, "all you want". Some of the better spots are Fox Creek, The Babylon Cut, and Oak Beach over by the Thumb. Worms are best for the flounder and the tide doesn't matter.

Some of those baby blacks are making excellent bass baits.

Vinnie DeMartino came into Charlie's with a 11 lb. 2 oz. weakfish, Jack said Vinnie wouldn't say what he caught it on but he thinks it was a snapper bait.

Capt. Frank Bryant of the **Moby D** said that flounder are still poor. Frank ran around a lot and hit Heckscher, Ocean Beach and the State Channel, where the deep water seemed to produce best. The fish are spread out and hitting on no particular tidal stage. Worms or clam bait, chumming essential. Now that the water is cooling off fishing should show a steady improvement.

Duke at **Dukes tackle Shop** had a lot of bass news for us today. In the surf,

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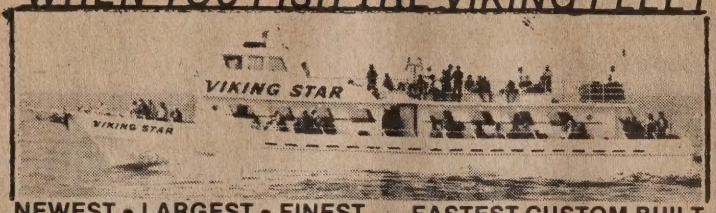

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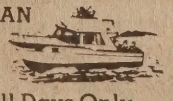

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AMITYVILLE

Marie at **George Combs Bait & Tackle** said that customers are doing very, very good with nice sized flounder at the Four Corners, Snake Hill Channel and the Squaw Island area. Blacks, all good size, are taking fiddlers and green crabs at all Wantagh Bridges at slack tide. A 12 lb. blue was weighed in that was trolled on a surgical tube just inside the F.I. Inlet. Marie said that not many bass were weighed in this week.

SEAFORD

The **Lucky Strike III** reports very good flounder. The fish are fat and getting thicker, but you have to keep on the move and pick fish from each spot for best results. Bloodworms for bait and chumming very helpful. The fish are spread out and hitting on no particular tide. The deep holes in the channels are best and quite a few blue claw crabs are coming up there.

Pop's Fishing Station reported very good flounder activity at the Four Corners, off Massapequa and the Drain, but fish can be found all over. No particular tide, but best fishing seems to be when the bottom has settled down. Bloodworms are the best bait and chumming is not necessary for good results.

Mike's Rowboat Station reports good flounder fishing at the Four Corners and Squaw Island. Bloodworms and dyed clams work on all tides. Quite a few throwbacks, but enough keepers to make things worthwhile. Balckfish are hitting fiddlers, green crabs and clam baits at the second bridge on the change of the tide, The blacks are good size and getting larger.

WANTAGH

Frank Hecker at **Causeway Bait & Tackle** informs us that on Saturday morning, angler Dennis Rooney

caught and weighed in at Causeway, a 51½ lb. striper, the most perfect speciman, Frank says, that he has ever seen. Dennis and Hank Durham had 5 bass, 14, 14, 18, 21 and the biggie, on Creek Chub swimmers. Also, Jim Nevins of Hicksville took a 33¾ lb. striper at field 9 on an eel on Saturday, outgoing water, early daylite. Flounder off the Wantagh Park Pier and improving every day, on sands, bloods and clam. East Bay behind Merrick is hot. There are still blues on the inlet side of Jones Inlet.

MERRICK

Jimmy at **Nick's Fishing Station** says that flounder fishing has been good, as long as no high winds blow. Hot spots are Broad Creek and the enterence to Neds Creek. Try bloods and clam, and if you're brave, try the flats at high tide. Joe Diamond was rewarded with a 39 lb. striper while trolling a Lupo Bunker Spoon in front of Gilgo, Saturday in 22'—25' of water.

N.Y. BIGHT Fishing Report

FREEPORT

The **Capt. Jack VI** fished a local wreck and did very good on large blackfish Saturday. Crabs are the best bet.

Capt. Richie Kessinger of the **Starstream II** reported excellent fishing for large bluefish all week long on Cholera Banks. Blues were coming over the rail regular on both Saturday and Sunday morning but the fishing fell apart on both days by noon. Richie then moved to an inshore wreck and took a few small blues and a load of seabass.

The **Aloma II** is doing very well on seabass, blacks and porgies according to Capt. Schmidt. The inshore wrecks around Jones Inlet are all producing fish. Skimmer clams are working just as good for blacks as crab baits. Fish were taken during both tides all day long. Blacks range from a pound to six, porgies a half to 2 pounds and the seabass run about a pound.

Anthony's Fishing Station reported good flounder catches by the drains at Fundy. Jim Gibel and two friends fished there and took 51 nice fish including one black on both sides. Swift Creek and the water adjacent to the first Meadowbrook Bridge are also producing fish, but most on the small side. Best action around the turn of the tide. Daily catches of an easy 20 blackfish are being taken at the draw bridges. Average size is 1 pound with several 4 pounders mixed in. The turn of the tide is best and fiddler crabs the preferred bait due to the bergall population. A few kingfish showing up in catches.

POINT LOOKOUT

Marillyn Wardle of **Ed's Fishing Station** said the flounder fishing was not bad way up on the flats off Reynolds Channel and the deep water of the channel itself. Swift Creek and the Coast Guard area are also good with most of the flounders going for worms and some clam. Blacks at the Point Lookout jetty and the Meadowbrook Bridge hitting better than fair through most of both tides. The usual crab bait works well. The Loop Bridge is another good spot for blacks. Bunker snagging at Meadowbrook bridge and off Lido for those trying for striped bass. Most of Sunday particularly the afternoon saw bunker spoon trolling catching striped bass to 20 lbs. off Lido. An unconfirmed 50 lb. bass was seen taken. What little sea bass are left are moving offshore.

ISLAND PARK

Capt. Clem of the **Commodore** said that Saturday produced a good run of flounder and Sunday was a wash out. Clem is working all the regular bay areas. Best tide seems to be on the outgoing. It's a mixed run of fish up to a pound in size. Worms and clam bait both produce.

Reports out of **Beckmann's Tackle** in Lynbrook are excellent catches of bass, blues, flounder and blacks. Bass fishing from the surf was excellent on Friday and Saturday on all the beaches from 105th Street in Rockaway east to Jones Inlet. Stan Gibbs plugs producing best but fish are taking almost any plug and metal squids. Live eels are producing big fish when you can get them. No particular tide, but best fishing seems to be from 3 a.m. until sunrise. Trolling large bunker spoons and surgical tubes along the beaches in 20 to 30 feet of water on wire line is also producing. Boats trolling surgical tubes and umbrella rigs at the Cholera Banks mohawked monster blues 8 to 14 pounds on Saturday. Boats reported never having an empty line. Flounders are excellent in the whole general area and catches break down inthirds of excellent fish, so-so keepers and throwbacks. Blacks excellent on all bridges and rocky areas. Standard baits all work, change of the tide best at bridges and moving water best in other areas.

LONG BEACH

School bass are taking poppers and swimmers along the beach said Ralph at **B.J.'s Bait & Tackle**. Most of this action is on outgoing water. Bunker are being snagged at the Atlantic Beach bridge and being used to catch striped bass in 20 to 30 feet of water. Flounder are taking bloodworms and clams in Reynolds Channel. Outgoing water is good for blackfishing at the Arizona and New York Avenue jetties. Blacks up to 6 lbs. have been taken on

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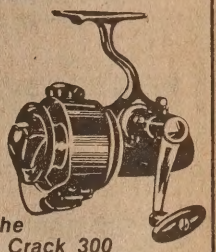

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Bunker are being snagged in Reynold's Channel from the inlet to a mile east of the Atlantic Beach Bridge. Live lining bunker in Reynold's for bass is producing many huge bass for those who work at it. One guy fished right in front of Hennings had four bass—45, 45, 30 and 30. Red Blumlein took three fish 28 to 36 pounds. Most of the action is on outgoing water, but fish are being taken on the incoming. Big blues are also mixed in. The Five Towns Fishing Clubs and the Atlantic Beach Rod & Gun Club held a bass tourny this weekend. Bob Foley on the "Debi" took it with a 38¾ lb. bass trolled on a Lupo Bunker Spoon off Gilgo.

Great blackfishing in Reynolds Channel around all rocks and pilings. Fiddler crabs are taking nice 3 and 4 pound fish most any tide. Nice flounder are being taken at Duck Point and buoys 3, 5 and 7 on the north side of the channel. Strictly worms, clams are not producing.

Capt. Ron Lepper of "KIM" called to say that Saturday was great bassing

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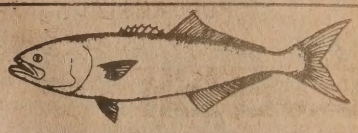

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between the Tower and Fire Island. Ron had 10 on Saturday, with 5 over 30 lbs., on Lupo Bunker Spoons. Rich Silver and 11 year old son, Steven of Merrick got a 35 lb. bass on the spoon,too. All knowledgeable bass hounds had fish Saturday. Sunday was off, considerably, due to the cold and the N.W. winds. Mike Lepper, age 12, and Bob Foley on the "Debby" got a 38¾ lb. fish. The "Four Daughters" accounted for 4 bass in the 30's and one 35 lb., still attached to a surf outfit. Owner please call Hennings. Neal Meyer of Inwood took a 25 and 30 lb. bass at Tobay on a spoon. The atlantic Beach Rod and Gun Bass Tourny was won by Bob Foley with a 37¾ lb. Lupo edition striper on Saturday.

All fish just referred to were taken in 25'-35' of water.

JAMAICA BAY

Noehren's Bait & Tackle reports good flounder fishing on blood and sand worms. Boat fishing at the L.I.R.R. trestle produces larger flounders up to 1½ or 2 lbs. than fishing fishing from the North or South channel bridges. Chumming with mussels is a must for the better catches. Either tide is satisfactory for blacks at the Marine Parkway bridge. The usual bait is fiddler or green crabs. Striped bass activity in the bay has been quiet with little or no bait showing.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY

Capt. Charles Locurto of the **Tone B** reports very good blackfishing off Seabright and the Highlands. Green crabs and fiddlers are both taking fish. Moving water, both incoming and outgoing, produces better than slack water. Pool fish are going seven to eight pounds daily. Average catch per angler is 10 to 12 fish that total close to fifty pounds.

Capt. Tony of the **Wahoo III** has been doing a good job on both bass and blues. Big bluefish up to 14 pounds are hitting in the morning, and at the turn of the tide in the afternoon school bass to 7 and 8 pounds taking over. Capt. Tony said he is trolling umbrella rigs and Tony Acetta Pet Spoon #7 on the red side of Ambrose and the South Channel.

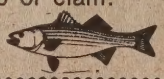
Vinny at **Salvo's Bait & Tackle** tells us there are plenty of big striped bass off Sandy Hook being caught on

Bingle tubes. Mike Marino of the Phylis M got Kenny Lacotta his first striped bass of 23 lbs. trolling a Bingle tube at slack low water. On 10-14-74 Dave Silva worked the Sandy Hook area and got striped bass all day on Bingle tubes. Fifteen of the bass were between 15 and 42 lbs. Porgies and lafayettes are still in abundance between 69th Street and Bay Parkway. They are taking worms and clams on all tides.

Fair to good striped bass fishing trolling the black side of Ambrose said Fred at **Mike's Bait & Tackle**. The change of tide on the outgoing water seems best. Trolling umbrella rigs with red and black tubes and sometimes a squid spoon or Black Lancer in the center does exceptionally well. Blues jigged off the Jersey coast from the Sea Bright to the Farms. Good blackfishing on local wrecks on fiddler and green crabs. Flounder are on the flats near Plum Beach.

STATEN ISLAND

Lenny at **Santo's Sporting Goods** reports that Joe DeAngelis, at the South Beach Storm Sewer took a 7½ lb. bass and an 8 lb. blue on sinking Rebels at sundown. Bass are there to 4 lbs. Worms on bottom, poppers in the a.m. and swimmers in the evening. New Dorp beach and Great Kills Park are producing some bass on high outgoing water on worms, poppers (a.m.) and swimmers (p.m.). Try Great Kills Park Harbor and Jetty for flounder and blacks. Blacks are 1-2 lbs. and take worm and clams. Flatties ½-¾ lb. on worm. Blue claws intraps in Great Kills Harbor. Boats trolling ¾ mile off Oakwood Beach are scoring with 4-6 lb. bass. New Dorp Beach pilings, Hoffman and Swindburn Island for drifting worm and bucktail. Any rocks at lighthouse for blacks to 5 lbs. on crab or clam.



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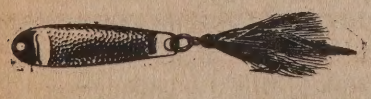

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NORTH SHORE Fishing Report

GREENPORT

Art at **A.P. White Bait Shop** reports the Brand X is doing a job on the blues and bass fishing Plum Gut jigging 8 oz. diamond jigs or 3 oz. yellow bucktails. Also blues on the North side of the Gardeners Island Ruins. Good blacks for casters at the Greenport Jetty on fiddlers, all tides, 2-5 lbs. The **Wilhelric** having excellent porgie fishing on clam and sandworm, mainly fishing the Sough side of Plum Island. Bass for casters off the beaches between E. Marion and Orient on Atom Poppers and Gibbs swimmers.

SOUTHOLD

Pete at **Port of Eqypt** says that once the wind stops blowing, blackfishing at Orient Station should resume it's great style for big blacks. Till then, the Southold station has blacks to 6½ lbs. to offer from the brickyard area and lots of other smaller fish. Try the windmills, on fiddlers and green crab. Flounder at Reydon Shores, ¾-1 lb. on clam and mussel.

NEW SUFFOLK

Phil at **Capt. Marty's Fishing Station** reports there are good floounder catches in the ¾-1 lb. class on bloods at Cutchogue Harbor. Blackfish West of Robbins Island on fiddlers and green crab. Best is morning and incoming water.

JAMESPORT

Warren's Tackle Shop in Aquebogue tells of flounder in Peconic Bay. Chum these fish, as they're moving around and looking for bloodworms.

Lots of schoolie bass and blues on the ocean side on poppers daytime and evening. Tin daytime too. No special spots. Hit all the white water.

MT. SINAI HARBOR

Dick's Sporting Goods reports sporadic bass and blue activity. Best bet is the LILCO plant at Shorham on almost any bait or artificial. Try porfies on worms anywhere in the Sound. Flounder just about any place on worm. Mt. Sinia Harbor for more but smaller flounder. Cedar Beach and any rocky area for blacks on fiddlers and worm, running 6-8 lbs. best on moderately moving water.

PORT JEFFERSON

Capt. John Fischer of the open boat **Betty W** reports excellent blackfishing all week. On Thursday anglers averaged 25 fish each and the pool fish

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went 7 pounds. Fishing continued excellent thru Saturday with a 9 pound black topping the catch. Sunday was blown out. Best areas to fish are Mt. Misery Shoals and the White Beach area. The incoming tide produces well. but the outgoing seems to produce about 30 percent better. Green crabs cut in half are the ticket for the large blacks. Still plenty of monster bluefish being taken. One private boat trolled 26 bluefish 12 to 17 pounds at Crane's Neck on umbrella rigs. The fish ar all down deep and not evident on the surface.

Capt. Joe Cash of the **Port Jeff Ace** said that blackfishing was very good on Saturday off Old Field and Crane's Neck. Green crabs are taking blackfish up to 6 and 7 pounds. Both tides seem to be producing equally well.

NORTHPORT

Pete at **Greenlawn Sports Shop** said Sand City had some very good black fishing from the beach. Six to nine pound blacks were being taken on fiddlers. Snappers are gone and the flounders are starting in the bays. Blues are spotty but chase bunker into the head of Northport Harbor or Center port bridge. They take eitheer bunker or poppers. Striped bass fishing is very slow.

HUNTINGTON

Capt. Don Constantin—of the **Ever-Ready Fleet** had over 100 large flounders for fourteen fares Satrday in four hours. The Huntington Bay area is the place to go and is well protected from the weather. Donsaid that drifting was the only method that produced consistently. Anchoring saw a quick stop to the action. Joseph Cipri, age 9, took an 8 pound blackfish on his flounder rig. At one point blackfish were fifty-fifty over the rail. The blackfish are outside the harbor around buoy 13 between Eaton's Neck and the LILCO plant in 23 feet of water. Another excellent spot for blacks was the rocks east towards LILCO but closer to Eaton's neck.

Both Ever-Ready boats murdered the blackfish in this area.

According to George at the **Four Winds Tackle Shop** Friday and Saturday saw good catches of bass and blues from the rip off Eaton's Neck. These were trolled on umbrella rigs with either red or black tubes. The bass were schoolies and the blues went 9-13 lbs. Good school bass worm trolling the outgoing water from Target Rock to Marshall Field. Worms also produced school bass from the beach at Crab Meadow during Sunday. Blacks are super good at Morris Rock, buoys 13 and 11B. Makamah and Calahan beaches also have blacks. All fish taken on fiddlers or green crabs and go from 3-7 lbs. with a few 10 lbs. Flounders are starting in all the harbors and are ½ to ¾ lb. Huntington and Northport Harbors have some larger ones.

GLEN COVE

John at **Glen Cove Sports** said Joe Cunningham caught a 34 lb. striped bass and an 18 lb. bluefish on mackeral chunks along the Glen Cove shoreline. He fished Sunday night and Monday morning. Both bass and blues are out there and are slow but steady when found. Three hours before high water and three after is the best time. Beach fishermen can use Stan Gibbs Bottlenose or other poppers while the trollers use big spoons and tubes. Fresh shiner bait fished at the Sluiceway or Morgan's Pond have taken 12 inch long snappers which are slowly moving out.

PORT WASHINGTON

Blues on bunker chunks in the early a.m. at Plum Point said Rocky at **Moreland's Bait & Tackle.** Striped bass fishing has been slow because of the weather. Blacks are in good supply from Barkers to Prospect Points. These 4 to 6 lbs. fish are taking worms or fiddlers.

CITY ISLAND

Jacks Bait & Tackle said there is good blackfishing at Execution light, Sands Point, Harts and Pea Islands. Pea Island is especially good and all fish are being taken on fiddlers and green crabs. Flounders of ½ to ¾ lb. being chummed on corn in Pelham Bay. They are biting primarily on sandworm. School bass of 5 lbs. being caught on drifted worms. The last three hours of the incoming and the first three hours of the outgoing water is best around Harts Island.

CONNECTICUT SCENE

NEW ROCHELLE

Cameron's told us that despite strong east winds, most of last week which made fishing tough, there were loads of blackfish brought in. Flounders are all over, but these are smaller fish, so stick to small hooks.

There are still plenty of blues and school bass around Glen Island, with drrifted bunker the best bait.

MAMARONECK

Thursday morning there were big blues off the floats of the Mamaroneck Fishing Station. Big rebels did the job. Blackfish and flounders are plentiful and there are still plenty of snappers and porgies around.

RYE

Point Tackle told us about a fisherman who got a big surprise when a 35 pound bass took his tiny Flounder hook. Somehow, everything held and he landed the fish. Scotch Caps are producing bass to 21 lbs., on poppers, and plenty of porgies are still around.

WHITE PLAINS

Burt at Male-Town says the bass are really hot and getting better. Green Crabs are best for the biggest fish, but fiddlers will do nicely.

GREENWICH

To prove there are still big fish around, Sportsmen's Den weighed in a 57lb. 8 oz. bass caught by Billy Biosi. He was trolling a black Lupo Lure off Coods Point in the early morning. Bottom fishing for blacks and flounder is excellent, and weakfish are being taken.

BYRAM

Santoro's Fishing Station said blacks and flounders are all around. A number of bass are being brought in by trollers by using Cape Cod Spinners and worm. Lots of blues still in the Byram River, bunker is the best bait.

NEW JERSEY Fishing Report

SANDY HOOK

Fred's Bait Service tells od flounder at the Highlands bulkhead on bloodworms. Striper will hit at Sandy Hook State Park; use surface plugs and sandworms.

The Chum Box North, tells us that stripers are still at the wall in Seabright. Live bunker is the bait. Martin Luford, nailed two bass to 36 lbs. aboard his boat. Bunker was the bait.

SEABRIGHT

Giglio's tells us that there are lots of bass along the beach. Fish to 30 lbs. are being taken. The Red Fin is the top producer. Plenty of Flounder are in the River.

LONG BRANCH

Monmouth Tackle reports a quiet week for stripers, but the people fishing worms and live eels during the night are doing quite well. This is from the point of the Hook South of Monmouth Beach.

CHUM LINES

(Continued from page 4.)

determine the life cycle of these parasites precisely and therefor we cannot investigate crucial stages of interaction between the fish and parasites, or research the physiology, metabolism and reproductive habits of the isopods.

Another confusion results because damaged gill tissue is not always observed when adult parasites are found attached to the fish. The assumption is that the animal has been attached for a period of time and it is therefore difficult to understand why erosion of tissue is not concurrently observed. In addition, healthy gill tissue is more frequently found in cases of infestation than is damaged flesh.

Mr. Hickey and I had a thought which, if correct, would explain the apparent inconsistency. If the isopod is harmless but does occasionally harbor bacteria or some other microorganism which may damage the gills, then specimens with damaged tissue would be infrequent. The answer to this question should be rather easy to determine by culturing the microorganisms from damaged gill tissue with the ectoparasite present. Perhaps the experiments have already been done. If so, we'd appreciate hearing about the results.

One last comment which I hope will put uneasy thoughts to rest. Fish that have the parasite are positively good eating. I know, because I eat them all the time and I'm walking around! Dr. W.A.M.

ONE MAN DOES MORE FOR READERS

I would like to thank Mr. R.E. Bohnenberger for his info and comment on my article you printed about boat trailering and ramps. This past summer I spent many of my free evenings scouting as well as using quite a few locations for the trailer boatman. Most of the following ramps are free. Perhaps some of your readers would like to have the following list. I know I would have loved to—

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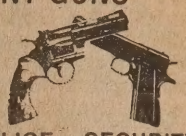

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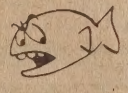

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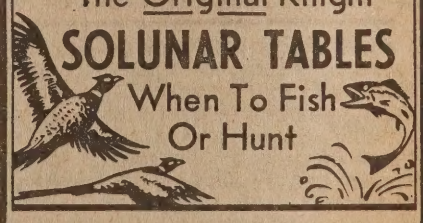

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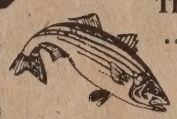
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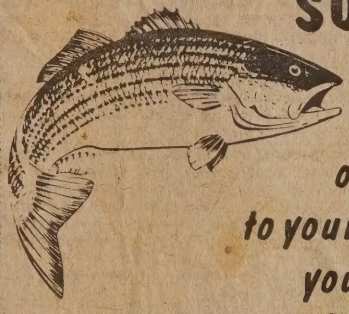

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10/24 THURSDAY	3:05	3:24	5:15	5:28	7:28	7:49	6:48	7:09
10/25 FRIDAY	4:00	4:22	6:06	6:19	8:23	8:44	7:43	8:04
10/26 SATURDAY	4:58	5:18	6:50	7:06	9:10	9:31	8:32	8:54
10/27 SUNDAY	4:47	5:07	6:27	6:47	8:47	9:11	8:17	8:39
10/28 MONDAY	5:32	5:52	7:04	7:26	9:17	9:40	8:58	9:22
10/29 TUESDAY	6:11	6:33	7:38	8:04	9:40	10:07	9:38	10:02
10/30 WEDNESDAY	6:50	7:12	8:13	8:42	10:07	10:34	10:17	10:43
10/31 THURSDAY	7:27	7:51	8:51	9:23	10:43	11:10	10:57	11:24

on SANDY HOOK

SHINNECOCK INLET	−0	50
Shinnecock Bay	+1	25
East Quogue	+2	45
Shinnecock Canal	+1	18
Indian Reservation	+3	05
MORICHES INLET	−0	56
Smith's Point	+3	28
Harts Cove	+1	30
Potunck Point	+3	35
Mastic Beach	+3	28
FIRE ISLAND INLET	−0	38
(Inlet.Breakwater & Dem. Pt.)	−0	38
Coast Guard Station	−0	19
Fire Island Light	+0	47
GREAT SOUTH BAY		
Sayville (Brown Creek)	+3	39
Heckscher State Park	+3	20
Bay Shore	+2	23
Babylon	+2	12
Amityville	+2	21
JONES INLET	−0	19
Loop Parkway Bridge	+0	25
Zachs Bay	+1	25
Seaford Harbor	+2	05
Freeport Creek	+0	34
EAST ROCKAWAY INLET	−0	06
Long Beach Bridge	+0	19
ROCKAWAY INLET	+0	00
Beach Channel (Bridge)	+0	38
JFK Airport	+0	26
STATEN ISLAND	+0	27
MANASQUAN	−0	12

on NEW LONDON

Orient Point	+0	27
Connecticut River	+1	10
Little Gull Island (Race)	+0	12
Greenport	+1	04
Southold	+1	43
New Suffolk	+2	26
South Jamesport	+2	32
Shinnecock Canal	+2	33
Noyack Bay	+2	05
Sag Harbor	+0	59
Gardiners Bay	+0	21
Promised Land (Napeague)	−0	14
Fort Pond Bay	−0	29
Montauk Inlet	−0	25
Montauk Point	−1	13

on WILLETS POINT

Little Neck Bay	−0	10
Execution Light	−0	06
Manhasset Bay	−0	01
Hempstead Harbor	−0	11
City Island	−0	03
Rye Beach	−0	28

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10/15	10/23	10/31	10/8
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Lloyd Point	+0	01
Cold Spring Harbor	+0	08
Bayville Bridge	+0	13
Eatons Neck Point	+0	03
Northport Bay	+0	03
Norwalk Islands	+0	10
Smithtown Bay	−0	03
Cranes Neck Point	+0	05
Port Jefferson Harbor	+0	03
New Haven Harbor	+0	08
Mount Sinai Harbor	−0	08
Herod Point	−0	07
Mattituck Inlet	+0	19
Horton Point	−0	20
Truman Beach	−0	42

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